In the afternoon, the President received diplomatic credentials from Ambassadors Raul Enrique Granillo Ocampo Argrentina, Hagos Ghebrehiwet of Eritrea, Gabriel Silva of Colombia, Ahmed Suliman of Sudan, Donald Eric Russell of Australia, Anund Priyay Neewoor of Mauritius, Dean Russell Lindo of Belize, Serguei Nikolayevich Martynov of Belarus, Arifin Mohamad Siregar of Indonesia, and Andreas J. Jacovides of Cyprus.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

The following list does not include promotions of members of the Uniformed Services, nominations to the Service Academies, or nominations of Foreign Service officers.

Submitted September 30

Larry E. Byrne,

of Virginia, to be Associate Administrator of the Agency for International Development, vice Scott M. Spangler, resigned.

Submitted October 1

Diane B. Frankel,

of California, to be Director of the Institute of Museum Services, vice Susannah Simpson Kent, resigned.

Henry Allen Holmes,

of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Defense, vice James R. Locher III, resigned.

Theodore E. Russell,

of Virginia, a career member of the Senior Foreign Service, class of Minister-Counselor, to be Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the United States of America to the Slovak Republic.

Richard H. Stallings,

of Idaho, to be Nuclear Waste Negotiator, vice David H. Leroy, resigned.

Gerald Mann Stern,

of California, to be Special Counsel, Financial Institutions Fraud Unit, Department of Justice, vice Ira H. Raphaelson, resigned.

Checklistof White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

Released September 27

Fact sheet on the nonproliferation and export policy

Released September 28

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers

Statement by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers on replacement of U.S. troops participating in UNOSOM II in Somalia

Released September 29

Fact sheet entitled "Toward a National Export Strategy: A Report of the Trade Promotion Coordinating Committee"

Announcement on partnership with auto makers for a 3-fold increase in fuel efficiency

Released September 30

Transcript of a press briefing by Director of Communications Mark Gearan

Listing of the winners of National Medal of Science and National Medal of Technology

Transcript of a press briefing by Director of the Office of Management and Budget Leon Panetta, Chief of Staff for the Vice President Jack Quinn, and Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs Administrator Sally Katzen

Advance text of citation for the Presidential Medal of Freedom presentation to Colin L. Powell

Released October 1

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Dee Dee Myers

Listing of Members of Congress meeting with President on the North American Free Trade Agreement

Acts Approved by the President

Approved September 30

H.R. 3049 / Public Law 103–86 To extend the current interim exemption under the Marine Mammal Protection Act for commercial fisheries until April 1, 1994

H.R. 2295 / Public Law 103-87 Making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1994, and making supplemental appropriations for such programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1993, and for other purposes H.J. Res. 267 / Public Law 103–88 Making continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 1994, and for other purposes

H.R. 3019 / Public Law 103–89 Performance Management and Recognition System Termination Act

H.R. 168 / Public Law 103–90 To designate the Federal building to be constructed between Gay and Market Streets and Cumberland and Church Avenues in Knoxville, Tennessee, as the "Howard H. Baker. Jr. United States Courthouse"

H.R. 873 / Public Law 103–91 Gallatin Range Consolidation and Protection Act of 1993

H.J. Res. 220 / Public Law 103–92 To designate the month of August as "National Scleroderma Awareness Month", and for other purposes

S. 184 / Public Law 103–93 Utah Schools and Lands Improvement Act of 1993